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It is certified that error appears in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

Sheet 3, Fig. 3, "IMGAE" should read --IMAGE--.
Sheet 19, Fig. 20, "S1203" should read --S1903--.
Col. 1, line 14, "in" should read --on--.
Col. 2, line 16, "invention to" should read --invention is to--.
Col. 3, line 33, "more" should be deleted.
Col. 10, line 2, "steps the" should read --the steps--.
Col. 11, line 27, "exclusive Ored" should read --exclusive-ORed--.
Col. 13, line 8, "function" should read --function,--.
Col. 15, line 34, "function" should read --function,--.
Col. 18, line 23, "information S" should read --information S,--.
line 37, "cannot generated" should read --cannot be generated--.
Col. 20, line 48, "medium" should read --medium,--.
Col. 27, line 65, "calculation" should read --calculation,--.
Col. 28, line 39, "is" should read --are--.
Col. 29, line 18, "is" should read --are--.
Col. 28, line 20, "checking integrity" should read --checking the integrity--.
line 66, "checking integrity" should read --checking the integrity--.

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